## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS WESTERN DIVISION

THE CONSTRUCTION INDUSTRY	
RETIREMENT FUND OF ROCKFORD,	)
ILLINOIS and THE CONSTRUCTION	)
INDUSTRY WELFARE FUND OF	)
ROCKFORD, ILLINOIS,	) District Judge: Frederick J. Kapala
Plaintiffs,	) Magistrate Judge: P. Michael Mahoney
vs.	) Case No. 12-cv-50156
BRICK AND BLOCK CONSTRUCTION, INC., an Illinois corporation, and BRITT M. BAKER, individually,	) ) )
Defendants.	)

## MOTION FOR ENTRY OF DEFAULT JUDGMENT IN A SUM CERTAIN

Plaintiffs, THE CONSTRUCTION INDUSTRY RETIREMENT FUND OF ROCKFORD, ILLINOIS and THE CONSTRUCTION INDUSTRY WELFARE FUND OF ROCKFORD, ILLINOIS (hereinafter referred to as "plaintiffs" or "the Funds"), for their Motion for Entry of Default Judgment in a Sum Certain against Defendants, BRICK AND BLOCK CONSTRUCTION, INC., and BRITT M. BAKER, individually, plaintiffs state as follows:

- 1. Plaintiffs filed a complaint in this matter on May 5, 2012.(Dkt # 2).
- 2. Defendant, Britt M. Baker, was served with the complaint and Summons on May 16, 2012, making his responsive pleading due no later than June 6, 2012. (Dkt #8).
- 3. Defendant, Brick and Block construction, Inc., was served with the complaint and Summons on May 16, 2012, making its responsive pleading due no later than June 6, 2012. (Dkt. #9).
- 4. To date, defendants have not had an appearance filed on their behalf or filed any form of responsive pleading.

5. On July 6, 2012, the District Court entered an Order finding defendants in

default for failing to file a responsive pleading.

6. Pursuant to the complaint, defendants are liable for unpaid contributions to

the Funds and late fees which were accrued in April 2007 and intermittently thereafter, pursuant to

the collective bargaining agreement and subsequent trust agreements to which defendants are bound.

7. According to the Affidavit of Shelli McPeek on behalf of the Funds, attached

hereto as Exhibit A, defendants are liable for \$13,900.00 in unpaid contributions and liquidated

damages and \$750.00 for audit fees, all of which are recoverable under the applicable agreements.

8. The Declaration Regarding Attorney's Fees, attached as Exhibit B, indicates

that an additional \$7,662.43is due and owing for the costs and attorneys fees incurred in pursuing

this case against defendants, the recovery of which is provided for in the applicable agreements.

9. Based upon the forgoing, a default judgment should enter under Rule 55(b)

in the amount of \$22,312.43 (\$13,900.00 in unpaid contributions, liquidated damages, and \$750.00

for audit costs, plus \$7,662.43 in attorney's fees and costs = \$22,312.43).

WHEREFORE, Plaintiffs respectfully move this Court for entry of a default judgment

against defendants, Britt M. Baker and Brick and Block Construction, Inc., in the amount of

\$22,312.43.

THE CONSTRUCTION INDUSTRY WELFARE FUND OF ROCKFORD, ILLINOIS; THE

CONSTRUCTION INDUSTRY RETIREMENT

FUND OF ROCKFORD, ILLINOIS, Plaintiffs,

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## CERTIFICATE OF LAWYER AND NOTICE OF ELECTRONIC FILING

The undersigned certifies that:

- 1) On July 24, 2012, the foregoing document was electronically filed with the District Court Clerk via CM/ECF filing system; and
- 2) Pursuant to Rule 5 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, the undersigned further certifies that on July 24, 2012, a copy of the foregoing document was sent to:

Mr. Britt M. Baker 132 Wright Lane East Peoria, IL 61611 Brick and Block Construction, Inc. c/o Mark McGrath, Registered Agent 113 South Main Street Mackinaw, IL 61755

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